AMENDMENT NO. 1774

Calendar No. 780

Purpose: To add a new section prohibiting employment of certain persons by an agency or department, and to prohibit a Federal employee engaged in intelligence activities from posing as a member of a United States religious, news media, or academic organization.

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To strengthen the system of congressional oversight of intelligence activities of the United States, and for other purposes.

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. MOYNIHAN

Viz: At the end of the bill, add the following:

- 1 Sec. 4. The National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C.
- 2 401 et seq.) is further amended by adding at the end thereof
- 3 the following:
- 4 "Sec. 502. (a) A department or agency of the United
- 5 States may not employ any member of the religious, news
- 6 media, or academic profession who is a citizen of the United
- 7 States or an alien admitted to the United States for perma-
- 8 nent residence, and may not employ any member of the news
- 9 media profession who is employed by a United States news
- 10 media organization, in any position which involves engaging

- 1 in intelligence activities and in which the relationship be-
- 2 tween such member and the department or agency employing
- 3 such member is to be concealed from the public.
- 4 "(b) An employee of any department or agency of the
- 5 United States who engages in intelligence activities for such
- 6 department or agency may not pose as a member of any real
- 7 or ostensible United States religious organization, United
- 8 States news media organization, or United States academic
- 9 organization, in order to conceal the relationship of the em-
- 10 ployee with that Department or agency.".